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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US)**

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/FR87/00056	06.03.87	07.03.86
TITLE OF INVENTION "METHODS AND DEVICES TO IMPROVE THE INTELLIGIBILITY OF ELECTROACOUSTIC COMMUNICATIONS"		

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/US

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To the United States Designated Office (DO/US):

I. Accompanying this transmittal letter are certain items which are required under 35 U.S.C. 371 in order that United States National processing of the above identified International application may commence:

- ☐ at the expiration of the applicable time under PCT Article 22(1) or (2) according to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 371(b).
- ☒ as soon as possible upon receipt of this express request under 35 U.S.C. 371(f).
- 1. The U.S. National fee [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1)]
  - a. ☐ was previously transmitted by applicant on (date)
  - b. ☒ is submitted herewith as follows:

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10**

I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the papers indicated as being transmitted therewith is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date September 23, 1987 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number B61391486 addressed to the: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231

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CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULA- TIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS	13 -20=	- 0 -	x\$12.00=	\$ - 0 -
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 -3=	- 0 -	x\$34.00=	- 0 -
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS(S) (if applicable)			+\$110=	- 0 -
	BASIC FEE				+ \$340.00
	Total of above Calculations=				340.00
	Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). If applicable, affidavit must be attached.				-
	SUBTOTAL =				340.00
	Credit of \$250.00 for full International Search Fee previously paid to the USPTO for the corresponding International Application (Note 37 CFR 1.445(a)(4)).				-
	TOTAL NATIONAL FEE				\$ 340.00

- i. ☒ A check in the amount of \$347.00 to cover the National fee is enclosed.
  - ii. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - iii. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 4-2219. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
2. A copy of the International application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]:
- a. ☒ is transmitted herewith. Request, description, claims, abstract and drawings
  - b. ☐ is not required as the application was filed with the United States Receiving Office.
  - c. ☐ has been transmitted
    - i. ☐ by the International Bureau. Date of mailing of the application (from form PCT/IB/308): \_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. ☐ by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
3. A verified translation of the International application into the English language [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]:
- a. ☒ is transmitted herewith. Request, description, claims, abstract and drawings
  - b. ☐ is not required as the application was filed in English.
  - c. ☐ was previously transmitted by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
4. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]:
- a. ☐ is transmitted herewith.
  - b. ☐ have been transmitted
    - i. ☐ by the International Bureau. Date of mailing of the application (from form PCT/IB/308): \_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. ☐ by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
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- c. ☐ have not been transmitted as
- ☐ no notification has been received that the International Search Authority has received the Search Copy.
  - ☐ the Search Copy was received by the International Searching Authority but the Search Report has not yet been issued. Date of receipt of Search Copy (from form PCT/ISA/202): \_\_\_\_\_
  - ☐ applicant chose not to make amendments under PCT Article 19. Date of mailing of Search Report (from form PCT/ISA/210.): \_\_\_\_\_
  - ☐ the time limit for the submission of amendments has not yet expired. The amendments or a statement that amendments have not been made will be transmitted before the expiration of the time limit under PCT Rule 46.1.
5. A Translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]:
- ☐ is transmitted herewith.
  - ☐ is not required as the amendments were made in the English language.
  - ☐ has not been transmitted for reasons indicated at point 1.4.c above.
6. An oath or declaration of the inventor [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)] complying with 35 U.S.C. 115
- ☐ was previously submitted by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
  - ☒ is submitted herewith and such oath or declaration
    - ☒ is attached to the application.
    - ☐ identifies the application and any amendments under PCT Article 19 which were transmitted as stated in points 1.2b. or c. and 1.4, and states that they were reviewed by the inventor as required by 37 CFR 1.70.

II. Concerning other documents:

1. An international Search Report or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a):
- ☒ is transmitted herewith.
  - ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. Date of mailing (from form PCT/IB/308): \_\_\_\_\_
  - ☐ is not required as the application was searched by the United States International Searching Authority.
  - ☐ will be transmitted promptly upon request.
  - ☐ has been submitted by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
2. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98:
- ☐ is transmitted herewith.
  - ☒ will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371(c).
  - ☐ was previously submitted by applicant on (date) \_\_\_\_\_
3. An assignment document is transmitted herewith for recording.
- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 7.00 is enclosed.

- c. ☒ Please mail the recorded assignment document to:
- ☒ the person whose signature and address appears below.
  - ☐ the following:

4. Other document(s) or information included:

4 sheets of informal drawings

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required or credit any overpayment to Account No. 4-2219.

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

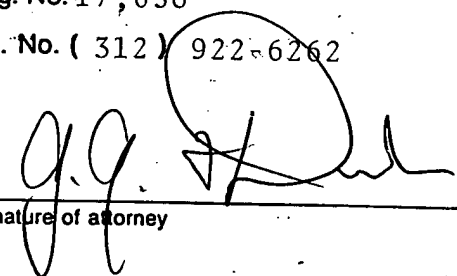
NOTE: Please

- ☐ do  
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charge issue fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

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